<u>chandrasya ashTaavimshati naama</u> <u>stotra</u>

asya shree chandrasya aShTaavimshati naama stotrasya goutama rushihi |
somo devataa |
viraaT bandhaha |

chandrasya shruNu naamaani shubha daani maheepatay | yaani shrutvaa naro dukkhaan muchyatay naatra samshayaha || 1 ||

sudhaakarashcha somashcha gourabjah kumudapriyaha | lokapriyah shubhra bhaanush chandramaa rohiNee patihi || 2 ||

shashee himakaro raajaa dvijaraajo nishaakaraha | aatreya induh sheetaamshuroshadheeshah kalaanidhihi || 3 ||

chaivaatrako ravaabhraataa kshirodaarNava sambhavaha | nakshatra naayakah shambhuh shirashchooDaamaNirvibhuhu || 4 ||

taapahartaa nabhodeepo naamaanyotaaniyah paThet | pratyaham bhakti samyuktastasya peeDaa vinashyati || 5 ||

taddinay cha paThedyastu labhet sarvam sameehitam | grahaadeenaam cha sarveshaam bhavet chandrabalam sadaa || 6 ||

|| iti shree chandrasya ashTaavimshati naama stotram ||